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RHINOCHILUS LECONTEI IN LOS ANGELES.

In the COPEIA of February 20, 1915, (No. 15) appeared a list of fourteen snakes found in the vicinity of the city of Los Angeles. To those must now be added one more recently discovered at Belvidere, California, by Mr. Viggo Tarp. This is *Rhinochilus lecontei* (Baird & Girard) and was found on May 13, 1915, about two miles from the beach on a bare hill near some gopher holes. This specimen is now thriving in captivity on a diet of lizards. It is 38½ inches long.

The only other traces I have found of LeConte's Snake have been in La Canada Valley, where an old bee-man named Charlie Metcalf had skins of two other specimens found in the valley where he lives. Near Los Angeles, LeConte's Snake is considered rare.

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